

Differential Equations

Recommended Books:

- (1) Shepley L. Ross - Differential equations, Third edition
John Wiley & Sons, 1984.
- (2) Daniel A. Murray - Introductory Course in Differential equations
- (3) I. Sneddon - Elements of Partial Differential equations
~~Mc~~ McGraw Hill, International Edition, 1967.

Ordinary Differential Equations (ODEs)

First Order Differential Equations: -

A differential equation of the form

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

or

$$M(x, y) dx + N(x, y) dy = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)} \text{ is called}$$

first order DEs.

ex:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x^2 + y^2}{x - y}$$

$$\text{or } (x^2 + y^2) dx + (x - y) dy = 0$$

Eqⁿ (1) is called derivative form and eqⁿ (2) is called differential form.

Exact Differential Equations :-

Definition A differential equation

$$M(x, y)dx + N(x, y)dy = 0 \quad \text{--- (1) is}$$

called exact differential equation if there exists a function f such that

$$\boxed{df(x, y) = M(x, y)dx + N(x, y)dy} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

And we know that

$$df(x, y) = \frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial y} dy \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

from (2) & (3), we have

$$\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial x} = M(x, y) \quad \& \quad \frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial y} = N(x, y)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f(x, y)}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} \quad \& \quad \frac{\partial^2 f(x, y)}{\partial y \partial x} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}$$

and

$$\frac{\partial^2 f(x, y)}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 f(x, y)}{\partial y \partial x}$$

Hence

$$\boxed{\frac{\partial M(x, y)}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N(x, y)}{\partial x}}$$

Therefore A differential equation

$$M(x, y)dx + N(x, y)dy = 0 \quad \text{is exact}$$

iff

$$\frac{\partial M(x, y)}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N(x, y)}{\partial x}$$

for all $(x, y) \in D$.

Solution of exact differential equations:-

If the differential equation

$$M(x, y)dx + N(x, y)dy = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

is exact, then solⁿ of (1) is given as

$$\int_{\text{[Treat } y \text{ as constant]}} M(x, y) dx + \int \text{[Only take those term of } N(x, y) \text{ which does not have } x \text{]} dy = C$$

Example: (1) $(3x^2 + 4xy)dx + (2x^2 + 2y)dy = 0$ --- (1)

$$M(x, y) = 3x^2 + 4xy, \quad N(x, y) = 2x^2 + 2y$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = 4x$$

$$\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = 4x$$

Since $\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} \Rightarrow$ eqⁿ (1) is exact.

Hence solⁿ of (1) is

$$\int (3x^2 + 4xy) dx + \int 2y dy = C$$

[Treat y as constant]

$$3 \frac{x^3}{3} + 4 \frac{x^2}{2} \cdot y + 2 \frac{y^2}{2} = C$$

$$\boxed{x^3 + 2x^2y + y^2 = C}$$

Exempl. (2) Solve the initial-value problem
 $(2x \cos y + 3x^2 y) dx + (x^3 - x^2 \sin y - y) dy = 0$,
 $y(0) = 2$

$$(2x \cos y + 3x^2 y) dx + (x^3 - x^2 \sin y - y) dy = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$M = (2x \cos y + 3x^2 y), \quad N = x^3 - x^2 \sin y - y$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = -2x \sin y + 3x^2, \quad \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = 3x^2 - 2x \sin y$$

Since $\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} \Rightarrow$ eqn (1) is exact.

Hence solⁿ of (1) is given as

$$\int (2x \cos y + 3x^2 y) dx + \int (-y) dy = C$$

[Treat y as constant]

$$2 \frac{x^2}{2} \cos y + 3 \frac{x^3}{3} y - \frac{y^2}{2} = C$$

$$\boxed{x^2 \cos y + x^3 y - \frac{y^2}{2} = C} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Given that $y(0) = 2$, putting this in eqn (2), we get

$$0 \times \cos(2) + 0 \times 2 - \frac{2^2}{2} = C$$

$$\boxed{C = -2}$$

Hence solⁿ of given Initial value problem (IVP) is

$$\boxed{x^2 \cos y + x^3 y - \frac{y^2}{2} = -2} \quad R$$

Exercise (Exact Differential Equations),

- ① $(3x+2y)dx + (2x+4y)dy = 0$
- ② $(y^2+3)dx + (2xy-4)dy = 0$
- ③ $(2xy+1)dx + (x^2+4y)dy = 0$
- ④ $(3x^2y+2)dx + (x^3+y)dy = 0$
- ⑤ $(6xy+2y^2-5)dx + (3x^2+4xy-6)dy = 0$
- ⑥ $(\theta^2+1)\cos x d\theta + 2\theta \sin x d\theta = 0$
- ⑦ $(y \sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x)dx + (\tan x + 2y)dy = 0$
- ⑧ $(\frac{x}{y^2} + x)dx + (\frac{x^2}{y^3} + y)dy = 0$
- ⑨ $(\frac{2s-1}{t})ds + (\frac{s-s^2}{t^2})dt = 0$
- ⑩ $(\frac{2y^{3/2}+1}{x^{1/2}})dx + (3x^{1/2}y^{3/2}-1)dy = 0$

Solve the following IVP (Initial value problems),

- ⑪ $(2xy-3)dx + (x^2+4y)dy = 0, y(1)=2$
- ⑫ $(3x^2y^2-y^3+2x)dx + (2x^3y-3xy^2+1)dy, y(-2)=1$
- ⑬ $(2y \sin x \cos x + y^2 \sin x)dx + (\sin^2 x - 2y \cos x)dy, y(0)=3$
- ⑭ $(ye^x + 2e^x + y^2)dx + (e^x + 2xy)dy = 0, y(0)=6$
- ⑮ $(\frac{3-y}{x^2})dx + (\frac{y^2-2x}{xy^2})dy = 0, y(-1)=2$
- ⑯ $(\frac{1+8xy^{2/3}}{x^{2/3}y^{1/3}})dx + (\frac{2x^{1/3}y^{2/3}-x^{2/3}}{y^{1/3}})dy = 0, y(1)=8$